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Date Mailed: 06/25/2004

NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

Items Required To Avoid Abandonment:

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing. Applicant must submit \$ 770 to complete the basic filing fee for a non-small entity. If appropriate, applicant may make a written assertion of entitlement to small entity status and pay the small entity filing fee (37 CFR 1.27).
- The oath or declaration is missing. A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

The applicant needs to satisfy supplemental fees problems indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

 Additional claim fees of \$392 as a non-small entity, including any required multiple dependent claim fee, are required. Applicant must submit the additional claim fees or cancel the additional claims for which fees are due.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fee(s) required for this application is \$1292 for a Large Entity

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- \$770 Statutory basic filing fee.
- \$130 Late oath or declaration Surcharge.

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- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$392
 - \$86 for 1 independent claims over 3.
 - \$306 for 17 total claims over 20.

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Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

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Application Number	10/821,785				
Filing Date	April 8, 2004				
First Named Inventor	Luciano Jr., Robert A.				
Examiner Name					
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METHOD OF PAYMENT (check all that apply)		FEE CALCULATION (continued)					
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The Director is authorized to: (check all that apply)		2,520	1812		For filing a request for ex parte reexamination		
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to the above-identified deposit account.	1251	110	2251	55	Extension for reply within first month		
FEE CALCULATION	1252	420	2252	210	Extension for reply within second month		
1. BASIC FILING FEE	1253	950	2253		Extension for reply within third month		
Large Entity Small Entity Fee Fee Fee Fee Description Fee Paid		1,480	2254	740	Extension for reply within fourth month		
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1001 770 2001 385 Utility filing fee 770		•		.,		<u> </u>	
1002 340 2002 170 Design filing fee	1401	330	2401		Notice of Appeal		
1003 530 2003 265 Plant filing fee	1402	330	2402		Filing a brief in support of an appeal		
1004 770 2004 385 Reissue filing fee	1403	290	2403		Request for oral hearing	ļ	
1005 160 2005 80 Provisional filing fee	1451	1,510	1451	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding		
SUBTOTAL (1) (\$) 770.00	1452	110	2452	55	Petition to revive - unavoidable		
		1,330	2453	665	Petition to revive - unintentional		
2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES FOR UTILITY AND REISSUE	1501	1,330	2501	665	Utility issue fee (or reissue)		
Extra Claims below Fee Paid		480	2502	240	Design issue fee		
		640	2503	320	Plant issue fee		
		130	1460	130	Petitions to the Commissioner		
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1202 18 2202 9 Claims in excess of 20	1809	770	2809	385	Filing a submission after final rejection		
1201 86 2201 43 Independent claims in excess of 3					(37 ČFR 1.129(a))	\sqcup	
1203 290 2203 145 Multiple dependent claim, if not paid	1810	770	2810	385	For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR 1.129(b))		
1204 86 2204 43 ** Reissue independent claims over original patent	1801	770	2801	385	Request for Continued Examination (RCE)		
1205 18 2205 9 ** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent	1802	900	1802	900			
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Sir or Madam:

This letter is in response to the Notice To File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application with a mailing date of June 25, 2004 regarding Application Number 10/821,785, filed on April 8, 2004.

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Please find enclosed the following with respect to the Missing Parts Notice:

Declaration for Utility or Design Patent Application

Fee Transmittal for FY 2004

Check for Fees in the amount of \$1332.00

Copy of the Notice To File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application

Also enclosed are the following documents with respect to the above-reference patent application:

Original Assignment

Statement Under 37 CFR 3.73(b)

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